Project # 2

Lesson 1:

* <http://www.pbs.org/weta/thewest/resources/archives/index.htm>
  + Primary source material on the American West, including many memoirs, journals, diaries, letters, and autobiographies.
* <http://digital.denverlibrary.org/>

Lesson #2:

**America Rock:  School House Rock!  Videocassette.  Disney Studios, 1997.**

* This video offers 30 minutes of animated music videos dealing with the history of the United States.  The video explains the founding of American, the Declaration of Independence, the start of the revolution, the Constitution, the pioneers opening the west, the ethnic diversity of America, Great American Inventors, Women’s Right to Vote, how a bill becomes a law, and the three branches of government.  A great tool to introduce these topics in a fun way!

Helpful sites:

* <http://questgarden.com/126/69/6/110517173654/conclusion.htm>
* <http://library.thinkquest.org/6400/>

* <http://edtech.kennesaw.edu/web/westward.html>

* <http://www.pioneerswest.com/pioneermen.html>

* <http://edweb.sdsu.edu/T2ARP/quest/journeys/westlessons.html>

* <http://www.digitalhistory.uh.edu/modules/westward/links.cfm>
* Maps:
  + <http://www.octa-trails.org/learn/resources/powerpoints/westward_expansion.pdf>